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**PATENT**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Gebhardt, Jr. et al.

**Application No.:** 10/067,026

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**For:** EXTENDABLE SLOT ADDRESSING  
SYSTEM AND METHOD

**Group:** 2661

**Examiner:** Kenneth N. Vanderpuye

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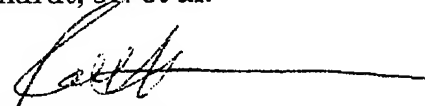
Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests notification of the status of the above-identified application. It has been three years since the application was filed and applicant has not received any substantive action.

Respectfully submitted,

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